

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
MARSHALL DIVISION**

WEB TELEPHONY, LLC., §
v. §
Plaintiff, §
§
BELL ATLANTIC COMMUNICATIONS, INC. § CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:07-CV-085 (DF)
(d/b/a Verizon Long Distance), et. al., § JURY DEMANDED
Defendants. §
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[PROPOSED] DOCKET CONTROL ORDER

Step	Action	Rule	Plaintiff's Due Date	Defendants' Due Date	Court's Due Date
1	Initial Case Management Conference	Patent L.R. 2-1 FRCP 26(f)	September 10, 2007	September 10, 2007	
2	Patentee serves Disclosure of Asserted Claims and Preliminary Infringement Contentions of a reasonable number of representative claims	Patent L.R. 3-1	October 16, 2007	October 16, 2007	
3	Patentee makes Document Production Accompanying Disclosure	Patent L.R. 3-2	October 16, 2007	October 16, 2007	
4	Initial Disclosures	FRCP 26(a)(1)	October 19, 2007	October 19, 2007	

5	Accused Infringer serves Preliminary Invalidity Contentions	Patent L.R. 3-3	December 4, 2007	December 4, 2007	
6	Accused Infringer makes Document Production Accompanying Preliminary Invalidity Contentions	Patent L.R. 3-4	December 4, 2007	December 4, 2007	
7	All parties make Exchange of Proposed Terms and Claim Elements for Construction	Patent L.R. 4-1(a)	December 13, 2007	December 13, 2007	
8	Patentee shall limit the number of asserted claims to no more than ten (10) and notify the accused infringer and Court		December 19, 2007	December 19, 2007	
9	All parties meet and confer to discuss list of Proposed Terms and Claim Elements for Construction	Patent L. R. 4-1(b)	January 9, 2008	January 9, 2008	
10	Deadline for early mediation at the Parties' request		December 31, 2007	April 24, 2008	
11	All parties make Exchange of Preliminary Claim Constructions and Extrinsic Evidence	Patent L. R. 4-2	January 16, 2008	January 16, 2008	
12	All parties meet and confer to discuss Preliminary Claim Constructions and Extrinsic Evidence	Patent L. R. 4-2(c)	January 30, 2008	January 30, 2008	

13	All parties jointly file Joint Claim Construction and Prehearing Statement	Patent L. R. 4-3	February 4, 2008	February 4, 2008	
14	Deadline to join other parties without leave of Court, which shall be at least 60 days before the deadline for filing dispositive motions		February 4, 2008	February 4, 2008	
15	Deadline to file amended pleadings without leave of Court, which shall be at least 30 days before the deadline for dispositive motions		February 28, 2008	February 28, 2008	
16	Completion of Claim Construction Discovery	Patent L. R. 4-4	March 5, 2008	March 5, 2008	
17	Patentee files opening claim construction brief	Patent L. R. 4-5(a)	March 20, 2008	March 20, 2008	
18	Accused Infringer files responsive claim construction brief	Patent L. R. 4-5(b)	April 3, 2008	April 3, 2008	
19	Patentee files reply brief on claim construction	Patent L. R. 4-5(c)	April 10, 2008	April 10, 2008	
20	ONLY WITH LEAVE OF COURT Accused infringer files sur-reply brief on claim construction		April 17, 2008	April 17, 2008	
21	Parties file Join Claim Construction Chart	Patent L. R. 4-5(d)	April 23, 2008	April 28, 2008	

22	Pre-hearing Conference and technical tutorial if necessary		April 30, 2008	May 12, 2008	
23	Claim Construction Hearing	Patent L. R. 4-6	May 1, 2008	May 13, 2008	
24	Court's Claim Construction Ruling				On or about (3 weeks after 23) subject to the Court's scheduling and/or use of a technical advisor <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>
25	Patentee makes Final Infringement Contentions	Patent L. R. 3-6(a)			On or about 30 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>
26	Accused Infringer serves Preliminary Unenforceability Contentions				On or about 40 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>
27	Accused Infringer makes Document Production Accompanying Preliminary Unenforceability Contentions				On or about 40 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>

28	Accused Infringer makes Final Invalidity Contentions	Patent L.R. 3-6(b)			On or about 50 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>
29	Accused Infringer makes disclosure relating to willfulness	Patent L.R. 3-8			On or about 50 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>
30	Accused Infringer makes Final Unenforceability Contentions				On or about 60 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>
31	Deadline for completion of all fact discovery, which shall be at least 90 days before the final pre-trial conference				On or about 80 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>
32	Deadline for disclosure of expert testimony on issues for which a party bears the burden of proof	FRCP 26(a)(2) L.R. CV-26(b)			On or about 90 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN A DATE>
33	Deadline for disclosure of rebuttal expert testimony	FRCP 26(a)(2) L.R. CV-26(b)			On or about 110 days after claim construction ruling <DO NOT PUT IN

					A DATE>
34	Deadline for late mediation at the Parties' request		July 2, 2008	December 1, 2008	
35	Deadline for completion of expert discovery				30 days after rebuttal expert testimony
36	Deadline for objections to other parties' expert witnesses				After 35
37	Deadline for filing dispositive motions, including motions on invalidity and unenforceability, which shall be at least 75 days before the initial pretrial conference		July 2, 2008	November 14, 2008	
38	Deadline for filing all Daubert motions		July 2, 2008	November 14, 2008	
39	Deadline for parties to make pretrial disclosures	FRCP 26(a)(3)	August 15, 2008	January 9, 2009	
40	Patentee to provide to other parties its information for Joint Final Pretrial Order, Proposed Jury Instruction and Verdict Form		August 15, 2008	January 9, 2009	

41	Defendant and Third-parties to Provide to Patentee their information for Joint Final Pretrial Order, Proposed Jury Instruction and Verdict Form		August 15, 2008	January 9, 2009	
42	Parties to file Proposed Joint Final Pretrial Order, Proposed Jury Instructions, Joint Verdict Forms and Motions in Limine. Prior to initial pretrial conference, parties shall confer with each other regarding the other party's Motion in Limine, deposition designations, and exhibit and shall submit to the Court in writing any objections they may have to the other party's Motions in Limine, deposition designations, and exhibits.		September 3, 2008	January 26, 2009	
43	Initial Pretrial Conference and hearing on Motions in Limine if required and hearing on objections to deposition designations and exhibits		September 17, 2008	February 11, 2009	
44	Final Pretrial Conference before Judge David Folsom		October 7, 2008	March 2, 2009	
45	Jury Selection before Judge David Folsom		October 8, 2008	March 3, 2009	

